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In re Application of: Herbert Seeger et al.  
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For: FLUID-OPERABLE ROTARY DRIVE CLUTCH  
Group Art Unit: 3655  
Examiner: Justin Holmes  
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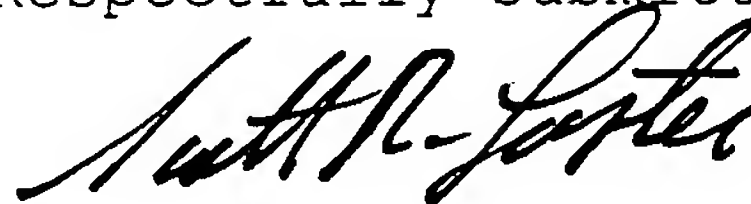
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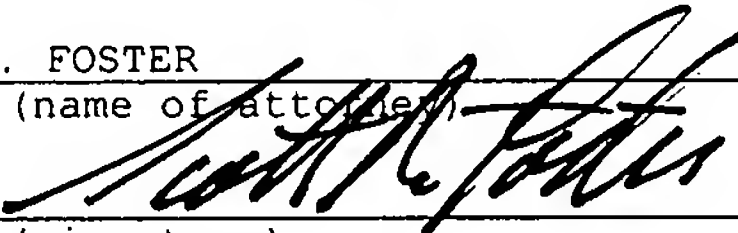
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